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Cust mer No. 23,844

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant : Martin et al.
App. No. : 09/653,997
Filed : September 1, 2000
For : MATERIAL SURFACE PROCESSING
WITH A LASER THAT HAS A SCAN
MODULATED EFFECTIVE POWER TO
ACHIEVE MULTIPLE WORN LOOKS
Examiner : R. B. Patel
Group Art Unit : 2121

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Respectfully submitted,

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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE (IF APPROPRIATE)
		6,252,196	6/26/2001	Costin et al.			
		5,990,444	1/23/1999	Costin			

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